

What is claimed is:

1. A 4.5V battery cartridge, comprising:

5        a cylindrical container having an open end being  
closed with a cover, said cover being provided at  
the same side with a first and a second contact  
electrode; and

10       three pieces of 1.5V batteries being mounted in said  
cylindrical container and connected in series via  
first conductors; and one of said three 1.5V  
batteries being connected at a negative electrode  
to said first contact electrode via a second  
15       conductor, and another one of said three 1.5V  
batteries being connected at a positive electrode  
to said second contact electrode via a third  
conductor, such that said first and said second  
contact electrode are defined as negative and  
20       positive electrode, respectively.

2. The 4.5V battery cartridge as claimed in claim 1,  
further comprising an insulating plate located  
between said cover and said three pieces of 1.5V  
25       batteries.

3. The 4.5V battery cartridge as claimed in claim 1,  
further comprising a partition positioned in said  
container to divide an internal space defined by  
5 said container into a plurality of receiving rooms.

4. The 4.5V battery cartridge as claimed in claim 3,  
wherein said partition is made of thin sheet plastics,  
which is bent and curved to have curvatures  
10 corresponding to circumferential surfaces of  
batteries to be mounted in said container.